In the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Applicants: Shiguang Yu et al. Examiner: Frank I. Choi

Serial No.: 09/683,003 Art Unit: 1616

Filing Date: November 7, 2001 Confirmation No.: 5003

For: COMPOSITION AND METHOD Attorney Docket No.: 6601-00-HL

AMENDMENT

This is Applicants' response to the non-final rejection mailed <u>April 3, 2008</u>. Reply is timely on or before <u>July 3, 2008</u> without extension fee; however the commissioner is authorized to charge any fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-2957.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.